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PART V

SEASON REPORT FOR THE WEEK ENDING WITH THE SIXTEENTH SATURDAY IN 1944.

(15TH APRIL 1944).

District and Station	Rainfall up to 8 a.m. on Saturday the 15th April 1944. This week	Last 35 years' average for the corresponding week	Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1944. This year	Average of past 35 years	Excess (+) or deficit (—) of col. 4 compared with col. 5
1	2	3	4	5	6
	I. c.	I. c.	I. c.	I. c.	I. c.
BANGALORE.					
Bangalore City and Taluk	0 04	0 53	5 41	1 74	+3 67
Hoskote	0 54	0 31	5 97	1 24	+4 73
Dodballapur	0 00	0 31	0 00	1 48	—1 48
Nelamangala	0 80	0 33	3 45	1 08	+2 37
Kankanhalli	0 00	0 49	6 69	1 46	+5 23
Magadi	0 00	0 28	2 95	1 15	+1 80
Channapatna	0 00	0 38	10 54	1 21	+9 33
Anekal	0 65	0 35	5 46	1 64	+3 82
Devanhalli	0 00	0 25	3 20	1 36	+1 84
Closepet	0 00	0 36	7 49	1 21	+6 28
Dist. Average	0 20	0 36	5 12	1 36	+3 76
KOLAR.					
Kolar	0 00	0 32	5 25	1 54	+3 71
Bowringpet	0 00	0 36	4 80	1 53	+3 27
Chintamani	0 00	0 35	2 48	1 25	+1 23
Mulbagal	0 00	0 18	10 52	1 52	+9 00
Sidlaghatta	0 00	0 31	1 63	1 33	+0 30
Chikballapur	0 00	0 20	3 15	1 54	+1 61
Bagepalli	0 00	0 28	1 30	1 00	+0 30
Goribidnur	0 00	0 21	1 96	0 84	+1 12
Malur	0 00	0 33	6 39	1 52	+4 87
Srinivaspur	0 00	0 21	4 21	1 56	+2 66
Gudibanda	0 00	0 31	2 15	1 11	+1 04
Dist. Average	0 00	0 28	3 99	1 34	+2 65
TUMKUR.					
Tumkur	0 00	0 31	4 88	1 15	+3 73
Madhugiri	0 00	0 28	2 38	1 09	+1 29
Chiknaikanhalli	0 00	0 26	3 83	1 18	+2 65
Sira	0 00	0 22	1 93	0 91	+1 02
Gubbi	0 00	0 29	1 85	0 97	+0 88
Tiptur	0 00	0 36	2 33	1 13	+1 20
Pavagada	0 00	0 13	1 26	0 84	+0 42
Kunigal	0 50	0 29	6 59	0 84	+5 75
Kortagere	0 00	0 25	1 70	1 09	+0 61
Turuvekere	0 00	0 30	3 20	0 97	+2 23
Dist. Average	0 05	0 27	3 00	1 02	+1 98
MYSORE.					
Mysore	0 00	0 59	3 03	1 86	+1 17
Chamarajnagar	0 00	0 33	2 91	1 29	+1 62
Hunsur	0 00	0 48	1 02	1 56	—0 54
Krishnarajnagar	0 00	0 30	1 27	1 31	—0 04
Heggaddevankote	0 48	0 44	2 04	1 87	+0 17
Gundlupet	3 03	0 63	5 06	1 99	+3 07
Nanjangud	0 68	0 50	3 98	1 88	+2 10
T.-Narsipur	0 00	0 40	2 50	1 46	+1 04
Periyapatna	0 00	0 28	2 52	1 67	+0 85
Dist. Average	0 47	0 44	2 70	1 65	+1 05

Rainfall up to 8 a.m. on Saturday the 15th April 1944—concld.

District and Station	This week	Last 35 years' average for the corresponding week	Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1944. This year	Average of past 35 years	Excess (+) or deficit (—) of col. 4 compared with col. 5
1	2	3	4	5	6
	I. c.	I. c.	I. c.	I. c.	I. c.
MANDYA.					
Mandya	0 00	0 34	4 17	1 27	+2 90
Seringapatam	0 00	0 30	1 22	1 33	—0 11
Malvalli	0 00	0 44	5 26	1 18	+4 08
Krishnarajpete	0 08	0 29	2 47	1 32	+1 15
Nagamangala	0 66	0 37	3 69	1 36	+2 33
Maddur	0 00	0 32	2 05	0 92	+1 13
French-Rocks	0 00	0 24	1 25	1 32	—0 07
Dist. Average	0 11	0 33	2 87	1 24	+1 63
HASSAN.					
Hassan	0 00	0 45	3 16	1 40	+1 76
Manjarabad (Saklespur)	0 00	0 46	1 35	1 44	—0 09
Arkalgud	0 42	0 51	2 82	1 67	+1 15
Belur	0 00	0 48	3 84	1 36	+2 48
Channarayapatna	0 00	0 38	4 44	1 23	+3 21
Arsikere	0 18	0 48	3 38	1 27	+2 11
Hole-Narsipur	0 00	0 35	1 50	1 38	+0 12
Alur	0 08	0 59	3 06	1 58	+1 48
Dist. Average	0 09	0 46	2 95	1 42	+1 53
SHIMOGA.					
Shimoga	0 92	0 23	1 29	1 02	+0 27
Channagiri	0 00	0 15	0 68	0 66	+0 02
Honnali	0 00	0 28	2 21	1 13	+1 08
Shikarpur	0 00	0 30	0 50	0 93	—0 43
Sorab	0 70	0 36	1 37	0 97	+0 40
Sagar	0 70	0 37	0 70	1 17	—0 47
Nagar (Kallurkatte)	0 90	0 19	0 43	0 77	—0 34
Tirthahalli	0 00	0 41	0 19	1 12	—0 93
Kumsi	0 00	0 42	1 02	1 04	—0 02
Dist. Average	0 26	0 30	0 93	0 98	—0 05
KADUR.					
Chikmagalur	0 00	0 51	3 67	1 66	+2 01
Kadur	0 00	0 24	0 61	0 97	—0 36
Tarikere	0 00	0 31	2 85	0 94	+1 91
Koppa	0 00	0 45	0 63	1 62	—0 99
Mudgere	0 20	0 61	1 57	1 71	—0 14
Narasimharajpura	0 00	0 54	2 78	1 38	+1 40
Sringeri	0 00	0 51	1 06	1 27	—0 21
Dist. Average	0 03	0 45	1 88	1 36	+0 52
CHITALDRUG.					
Chitaldrug	0 00	0 14	4 01	0 83	+3 18
Challakere	0 00	0 15	2 94	0 82	+2 12
Hiriyur	0 06	0 18	1 36	0 82	+0 54
Holalkere	0 55	0 32	2 14	0 94	+1 20
Davangere	0 00	0 28	0 22	0 80	—0 58
Molakalmaru	0 00	0 17	0 27	0 77	—0 50
Jagalur	0 00	0 14	2 91	0 92	+1 99
Hosdurga	0 07	0 13	1 45	0 72	+0 73
Harihar	0 00	0 14	0 00	0 74	—0 74
Dist. Average	0 08	0 18	1 70	0 82	+0 38
Provincial Average	0 14	0 34	2 79	1 24	+1 55

STATEMENT SHOWING THE PRICES OF FOOD-GRAINS IN SEERS PER RUPEE AND MARKET FLUCTUATIONS IN PRICES OF FOOD-GRAINS FOR THE 17TH WEEK ENDING SATURDAY THE 22ND APRIL 1944.

	Kind of grains	This week	Past week	Past ten years' fortnightly average
		Srs.	Srs.	Srs.
Bangalore	Rice, 2nd sort	4·25	3·0 to 4·0	6·0
	Ragi	6·50	6·50	16·0
	Horsegram	3·75	3·0 to 4·0	12·0
	Kadale	2·25	2·0	7·0
Kolar	Rice, 2nd sort	4·0	3·10	7·0
	Ragi	7·0	7·0	13·0
	Horsegram	4·2	4·2	11·0
	Kadale	2·4	2·4	7·0
Tumkur	Rice, 2nd sort	4·50	4·50	7·0
	Ragi	7·25	7·25	16·0
	Horsegram	4·0	4·25	7·50
	Kadale	3·0	3·0	6·50
Mysore	Rice, 2nd sort	3·75	3·75	7·0
	Ragi	7·0	7·0	16·0
	Horsegram	4·0	4·0	18·0
	Kadale	2·25	2·25	7·0
Mandya	Rice, 2nd sort	4·50	4·50	5·0
	Ragi	7·0	7·0	10·0
	Horsegram	5·0	5·0	9·50
	Kadale	2·0	2·0	3·0
Hassan	Rice, 2nd sort	4·0	4·0	7·0
	Ragi	7·75	7·75	18·0
	Horsegram	4·50	4·50	9·0
	Kadale	2·50	2·50	6·0
Shimoga	Rice, 2nd sort	4·5	4·5	5·5
	Ragi	7·75	7·75	10·0
	Horsegram	4·5	4·5	10·0
	Kadale	2·0	2·0	6·0
Kadur	Rice, 2nd sort	4·0	4·0	8·0
	Ragi	7·50	7·50	16·0
	Horsegram	4·50	4·50	10·0
	Kadale	2·75	2·75	6·0
Chitaldrug	Rice, 2nd sort	4·50	4·50	6·0
	Ragi	7·75	7·75	16·0
	Horsegram	5·0	5·0	15·0
	Kadale	2·0	2·0	7·0

DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of the harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. Prospects of the season, tracts in which rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief and state of food stocks.

11. Remarks on the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage or fodder, etc.

BANGALORE.

8. Fairly well supplied.

9. *Standing Crops.*—Paddy and sugarcane are in good condition.

Crops Harvested.—Sugarcane in parts of Dodballapur, Anekal, Bangalore North and South taluks. Paddy and sugarcane in parts of Hoskote taluk.

Crops Sown.—Nil.

10. Good.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy. Water and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Fairly well supplied.

9. *Agricultural Operations.*—Planting of sugarcane is carried on in some parts of Gudibanda Sub-Taluk.

Standing Crops.—Paddy, sugarcane and potatoes are reported to be in good condition.

10. Good.

11. "Rinderpest" is said to prevail in Chikballapur, Chintamani and Gudibanda Sub-Taluk.

Necessary preventive measures have been adopted.

Labour classes find sufficient labour.

Water and fodder are available.

TUMKUR.

8. Well supplied.

Seeds Sown.—Paddy is reported to have been sown in Kunigal Taluk.

9. *Standing Crops.*—Paddy and sugarcane in Turuvekere, Koratagere and Tumkur Taluks; paddy in Sira, Chiknaikanahalli and Tiptur Taluks; sugarcane in Kunigal Taluk are reported to be in good condition.

Crops Harvested.—Sugarcane in Kunigal and Turuvekere Taluks; paddy and sugarcane in Koratagere Taluk; paddy and cotton in Sira Taluk; are reported to have been harvested during the week.

10. Fair.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy throughout the district except for the prevalence of 'Rinderpest' in some parts of Gubbi Taluk, at Ariyur village in Tumkur Taluk; at Nelagondanahalli and Chowlahalli in Tiptur Taluk and in some parts of Chiknaikanahalli Taluk. Preventive measures are reported to have been taken.

Public health is reported to be generally good throughout the district except for the prevalence of 'plague' at Chiknaikanahalli Town and at Paruvagondanahalli village in Tiptur Taluk. Preventive measures are reported to have been taken. Food and fodder are reported to be available in all parts of the district. Cooly classes find sufficient labour in agricultural operations.

MYSORE.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Seeds Sown.*—Nil.

Standing Crops—Kar-paddy, jola and ragi in Nanjangud, cotton in Gundlupet are reported to be in good condition. Jola and mulberry are reported to be drying for want of rain in Chamarajnagar.

Crops Harvested.—Nil.

10. Generally good.

Sufficient labour and wages are available to labouring classes.

11. Water and fodder are available to cattle.

Cattle are reported to be generally healthy except for the prevalence of "Rinderpest" in some parts of Mysore, Krishnarajnagar, Nanjangud, Gundlupet, Heggaddevankote and Periyapatna Taluks.

MANDYA.

8. Fairly well supplied.

Seeds Sown.—Sugarcane and irrigated ragi are reported to have been planted and transplanted respectively, in Mandya Taluk.

Standing Crops.—Sugarcane and paddy in Mandya Taluk; sugarcane in Seringapatam, Malvalli, Maddur and French-Rocks taluks are reported to be in good condition.

9. *Crops Harvested.*—Sugarcane and paddy in Mandya Taluk; sugarcane in Maddur and French-Rocks taluks are reported to have been harvested during the week.

10. *Public Health.*—Public health is reported to be generally good throughout the district during the week.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy except for "Rinderpest" in some villages of Seringapatam, Krishnarajpet and French-Rocks taluks. It is reported that timely action has been taken by the Veterinary Department to check the spread of the disease. Notification also has been issued, prohibiting the movement of cattle from such infected areas. Fodder and water are reported to be available in sufficient quantities.

HASSAN.

8. Well supplied. There is dearth for rice and ragi in all the local markets, for which arrangements have been made to supply the same from the available places and Emergency Depots.

Crops Sown.—Nil.

Standing Crops.—"Kar-paddy" in the Arkalgud, Arsikere and Hole-Narsipur taluks, and Sugarcane in the Belur, Hole-Narasipur and Channarayapatna taluks are reported to be in good condition.

9. *Crops Harvested.*—Sugarcane and Bengalgram in the Hassan taluk and Paddy in the Alur taluk were being harvested.

10. Prospects of the season are fair.

11. Water and fodder are available. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy except for "Rinderpest" in some parts of Belur, Arkalgud and Hassan taluks and in the villages of Samudravalli of Nuggihalli Hobli in the Chennarayapatna taluk and in the villages of Kundur, Belame, Jodi Honnavalli and Kiragadlu in the Alur taluk. The Veterinary Inspectors concerned are reported to have been addressed for taking remedial measures to check the spread of the disease.

SHIMOGA.

8. Markets are fairly well supplied.

9. *Agricultural Operations.*—

Seeds Sown.—Sugarcane is being planted in Channagiri and Sagar Taluks.

Crops Harvested.—Sugarcane is being milled in the taluks of Shimoga, Channagiri and Shikarpur.

Standing Crops.—Sugarcane is in good condition in Shimoga, Channagiri, Honnali, Shikarpur, Sorab and Kumsi Taluks.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Cooly classes find sufficient labour. Foodgrains are available.

11. Fodder and water are available in all the taluks but "Rinderpest" is reported to be still prevailing in some parts of Shimoga, Channagiri, Honnali, Shikarpur and Sorab Taluks. The concerned Veterinary Inspectors are reported to be taking necessary action to check the spread of the disease.

12. Out of the extent of 14,663-36 guntas granted under "Grow More Food Scheme", an extent of 6,225-11 guntas has been brought under cultivation. The Amildars have been directed to see that the entire extent granted is brought under cultivation and only food and fodder crops are grown therein.

KADUR.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. *Crops Sown.*—Sugarcane is being planted in some parts of Narasimharajapura Sub-Taluk.

Standing Crops.—Sugarcane in Kadur and Chikmagalur Taluks, and pepper in Narasimharajapura Sub-Taluk are the standing crops.

Crops Harvested.—Sugarcane was harvested in Chikmagalur and Kadur Taluks.

10. *Public Health.*—Small-pox is reported to be prevailing in some parts of Mudgere and Koppa Taluks and plague is reported to be prevailing in some parts of Kadur Taluk, *viz.*, Sakrepatna and B. T. Mallenahalli villages. Preventive measures are being taken to check the spread of plague and small-pox. Public health in the other parts of the district is reported to be good. Sufficient labour is available and the condition of the labouring class is satisfactory. Seasonal conditions are reported to be good throughout the district.

11. "Rinderpest" is reported to be prevailing in some parts of Koppa Taluk.

The District Veterinary and Live-Stock Officer, Chikmagalur, has been addressed to take needful action in the matter. Cattle in other parts of the district are reported to be in good condition. Fodder and water are reported to be available throughout the district.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Markets are well supplied with ragi and jola. There is dearth for rice in the markets. Arrangements have however been made for the supply of the same from the Emergency Depots and other available places.

9. *Agricultural Operations.*—It is reported that transplantation of paddy in Hiriyur Taluk is in progress.

Standing Crops.—Paddy and cotton in Molakalmuru Chitaldrug, Challakere, Hiriyur and Jagalur Taluks; Castor in Davangere Taluk; castor, jola and groundnut in Hiriyur Taluk; wheat in Molakalmuru Taluk, are reported to be in fair condition.

Harvest.—Paddy and cotton are reported to have been harvested in Hiriyur, Challakere, Chitaldrug and Davangere Taluks.

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be satisfactory throughout the district and cooly classes are finding sufficient labour all over the district.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy throughout the district, except for the prevalence of "Rinderpest" disease in some parts of Molakalmuru Hosdurga, Holalkere, Harihar and Jagalur Taluks. Necessary preventive measures are reported to have been taken by the Veterinary Department to check the spread of the disease.

Water and fodder are at present available throughout the district.

STATEMENT SHOWING THE PRICES CURRENT (RETAIL OF RICE (2ND SORT), RAGI AND HORSEGRAM, AT THE SEVERAL TALUK HEADQUARTERS FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, THE 22ND APRIL 1944.

Quantity per rupee by the standard seer of 80 tolas.

District	Taluk	Rice, 2nd sort Srs. Ch.	Ragi Srs. Ch.	Horsegram Srs. Ch.
Bangalore	Bangalore North	4 4	6 8	3 12
	Bangalore South	3 8	7 8	5 0
	Hoskote ..	3 8	7 0	4 8
	Dodballapur ..	3 8	7 8	4 0
	Nelamangala ..	3 8	7 8	5 0
	Kankanhalli ..	3 12	7 8	4 0
	Magadi ..	4 0	7 8	4 8
	Channapatna ..	4 4	7 4	4 0
	Anekal ..	4 0	7 8	4 0
	Devanhalli ..	3 8	7 8	2 8
	Closepet ..	3 8	7 4	5 0
Kolar	Kolar ..	3 8	7 0	4 4
	Bowringpet ..	3 4	7 0	4 0
	Chintamani ..	4 8	7 0	4 4
	Mulbagal ..	3 12	7 0	4 0
	Sidlaghatta ..	3 8	7 0	3 8
	Chikballapur ..	4 4	7 0	4 0
	Bagepalli ..	3 12	7 0	4 0
	Goribidnur ..	4 4	7 0	3 0
	Malur ..	4 4	7 0	4 8
	Srinivaspur ..	4 4	7 0	5 0
	Gudibanda ..	3 8	7 0	4 0
Tumkur	Tumkur ..	4 8	7 4	4 0
	Madhugiri ..	4 8	7 4	4 0
	Chiknayakanhalli	4 0	7 4	4 0
	Sira ..	5 0	7 4	4 0
	Gubbi ..	4 8	7 4	4 0
	Tiptur ..	4 4	7 4	4 0
	Pavagada ..	4 4	6 8	5 0
	Kunigal ..	4 8	7 4	4 4
	Koratagere ..	4 8	7 4	4 0
	Turuvekere ..	4 8	7 4	4 8
Mysore	Mysore ..	3 12	7 0	4 4
	Chamarajnagar ..	3 10	6 12	5 0
	Hunsur ..	4 0	7 4	4 0
	Krishnarajnagar ..	3 12	6 12	5 0
	Heggaddevankote	3 12	8 0	5 0
	Gundlupet ..	3 12	7 0	4 8
	Nanjangud ..	4 0	7 0	5 0
	T-Narsipur ..	3 12	6 8	4 0
	Periyapatna ..	3 8	7 8	5 0
Mandya	Mandya ..	4 8	7 0	5 0
	Seringapatam ..	4 4	7 0	4 0
	Malvalli ..	4 0	7 0	4 0
	Krishnarajpet ..	4 8	7 0	5 0
	Nagamangala ..	4 0	7 0	4 0
	Maddur ..	4 4	7 0	4 8
	French-Rocks ..	4 4	7 0	5 0
Hassan	Hassan ..	4 0	7 12	4 8
	Manjarabad ..	4 4	7 0	4 0
	Arkalgud ..	4 12	7 12	4 8
	Belur ..	4 12	7 4	4 0
	Channarayapatna	4 8	7 0	4 8
	Arsikere ..	4 8	7 12	4 0
	Hole-Narsipur ..	4 0	7 12	4 8
	Alur ..	4 8	7 8	5 0
Shimoga	Shimoga ..	4 8	7 12	4 8
	Channagiri ..	4 4	8 8	5 0
	Honnali ..	4 12	10 0	4 0
	Shikarpur ..	4 12	7 12	3 8
	Sorab ..	4 8	..	4 4
	Sagar ..	4 12	7 0	4 0
	Nagar ..	4 12	7 0	3 12
	Tirthahalli ..	4 8	7 0	3 12
	Kumsi ..	4 8	8 0	4 0
Kadur	Chikmagalur ..	4 0	7 8	4 8
	Kadur ..	4 0	7 8	4 8
	Tarikere ..	4 0	7 8	4 8
	Koppa ..	4 0	7 0	4 8
	Mudgere ..	4 0	7 0	4 8
	Narasimharajapura	4 0	7 8	4 8
	Sringeri ..	4 0	6 12	4 8
Chitaldrug	Chitaldrug ..	4 8	7 12	5 0
	Challakere ..	4 8	7 4	4 0
	Hiriyur ..	4 8	7 4	5 0
	Holalkere ..	4 8	8 4	..
	Davangere ..	4 8	8 4	4 0
	Molakalmuru ..	4 8	7 4	4 0
	Jagalur ..	4 8	7 8	4 0
	Hosdurga ..	4 8	8 4	5 0
	Harihar ..	4 8	8 4	5 0

OFFICE OF THE REVENUE COMMISSIONER IN MYSORE,
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Revenue Commissioner.

MYSORE STATE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH.

NOTE ON THE STATE OF PUBLIC HEALTH IN MYSORE STATE FOR THE WEEK ENDED THURSDAY, 20TH APRIL 1944.

A total of 70 attacks with 39 deaths from Plague was returned during the week against 44 attacks with 21 deaths in the previous week. Cities of Bangalore and Mysore reported 8 attacks with 4 deaths and 1 attack with nil death respectively while Kolar Gold Field Area reported 7 attacks with 5 deaths. Comparative figures for the corresponding weeks in 1943 and 1942, were 22 attacks with 10 deaths and 29 attacks with 19 deaths, respectively.

A total of 92 attacks with 12 deaths from Smallpox were reported from one village in each of Anekal, Kankanhalli, Challakere, Channarayapatna, Tarikere, Malur, Gundlupet, and Pavagada Taluks; from two villages in each of Sagar and Thirthahalli Taluks; and from three villages in Mudgere and Sorab Taluks and from Belur, Bhadravati and Sagar Towns and from Mysore City and Kolar Gold Field Area.

A total of nil attacks with 1 death from cholera was reported from one village in T.-Narasipur Taluk.

The State remained free from Influenza and Relapsing Fever.

The total mortality for Bangalore City amounted to 135 (45 in hospitals), representing a calculated death-rate of 25·6 (17·1 excluding hospital deaths), per mille of population as against 32·4 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths numbered 4 under Plauge, 4 under Malaria, 1 under other fevers, 5 under Phthisis, 23 under Dysentery and Diarrhœa and 98 under All other Causes. The reported mortality was normal.

During the week, the Civil and Military Station, Bangalore, returned 116 deaths (32 in hospitals), for five days representing a calculated death-rate of 49·5 (35·8 excluding hospital deaths), per mille of population as against 47·6 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths were Plague 7, Broncho-Pneumonia 2, Pneumonia 12, Typhoid 2, Phthisis 4, Dysentery and Diarrhœa 19 and all other Causes 70.

The total mortality for Mysore City was 85 (22 in hospitals), representing a calculated death-rate of 26·8 (19·9 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population as against 21·7 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths were Plague 1, Other Fevers 9, Phthisis 1, Dysentery and Diarrhœa 11, and all other Causes 63, The reported mortality was normal.

There were 55 deaths (8 in hospitals), from all causes in Kolar Gold Field Area, equivalent to a calculated death-rate of 26·2 (22·4 excluding hospital deaths), per mille of population as against 19·3 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths numbered 5 under Plauge 5, under Other Fevers, 4 under Phthisis, 7 under Dysentery and Diarrhœa and 34 under All other Causes. The reported mortality was normal.

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